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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER				Attorney Docket No: A369-USA-CIP	
Application Serial Number: 10821023	Filing Date: 4/7/2004	Examiner: James L. Savage	Art Unit: 1775		
Invention: BRAZING TITANIUM TO STAINLESS STEEL USING Ti-Ni FILLER MATERIAL					
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10/3/05 Date		 Grey Schmidgrund Attorney for Applicant Reg. No. 42,130			
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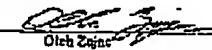


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Filing Date: 4/7/2004		Examiner: Jason L. Savage	Art Unit: 1775
Invention: BRAZING TITANIUM TO STAINLESS STEEL USING Ti-NI FILLER MATERIAL			
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Applicant(s): Jiang, et al.

Application No.: 10/823,963

Filed: 4/14/2004

Title: BRAZING TITANIUM TO STAINLESS
STEEL USING LAYERED PARTICULATE

Attorney Docket No.: A369-CIP

Art Unit:
1775

Examiner:
Jason L. Savage

VIA FAX TO 571-273-8300
Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

We submit the entire Amendment for a third time. In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on Oct. 11, 2005, please see the attached Amendment previously faxed twice to Mail Stop Amendment on October 3, 2005. Also attached are two Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission received by our office on Oct. 3, 2005 from the United States Patent and Trademark Office Fax Server. The two Auto-replies indicate that all 11 pages of the Amendment sent by us were received by the USPTO. Eighteen days later, on Oct. 21, 2005, our office received a third Auto-Reply Facsimile Transmission from the USPTO Fax Server, indicating that only 7 pages had been received by the USPTO.

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Please provide the examiner with a complete 11 page copy of the Amendment as originally filed on Oct. 3, 2005.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Date

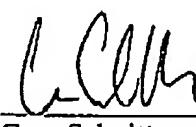


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Application Serial Number: 10/821,023	Filing Date: 4/7/2004	Examiner: Jason L. Savage		Art Unit: 1775		
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For:	Brazing Titanium to Stainless Steel Using Layered Particulate		

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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 26, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-15 are pending in the parent application.

The drawings are accepted.

Several objections to informalities in claims 2-4, 6, and 7 are raised and all are corrected by this Amendment.

Claims 1-15 are rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as being unpatentable over Chang in view of Cusano.

Claims 9, 10, 12 and 15 are rejected under 35 USC 103(a) as being unpatentable over Chang in view of Cusano and further in view of US Patent Application 10/821,023, parent application to this CIP.

Informalities Are Addressed